

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

April 14, 2011

Alma Gonzalez, Treasurer Democratic Executive Committee of Florida 214 South Bronough Street Tallahassee, FL 32301

Response Due Date: May 19, 2011

Identification Number: C00005561

Reference:

Amended October Monthly Report (9/1/10-9/30/10), received 3/10/11

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 5 items:

- 1. The totals listed on Lines 6(c), 7, 11(a)(iii), 11(b), 11(d), 20, 21(a)(i), 21(a)(ii), 21(b), 21(c), 30(b), 30(c), 31, and 31 Column B of the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages appear to be incorrect. Please be advised that you should add the "Calendar Year-to-Date" total from your previous report to the current "Total This Period" figure from Column A to derive the correct Column B totals. Please amend your report and any subsequent reports that may be affected by this correction.
- 2. Your calculations for Line 11(a)(iii), Column B appear to be incorrect. FEC calculations disclose this amount(s) to be \$1,182,800.64. provide the corrected total(s) on the Detailed Summary Page.
- 3. Your calculations for Line 8 appear to be incorrect. Cash-on-hand at the close of the current reporting period should always equal the closing calendar year-to-date cash-on-hand amount. Please provide the corrected total on the Summary Page.
- 4. Schedule B supporting Line 21(b) of your report discloses \$3,850 in activity identified as MEMO entries that do not appear to correspond with any itemized transaction(s). Please be advised, a memo entry is used to

disclose additional information about an itemized transaction and the amount of a memo entry is <u>not</u> included in the total receipts or disbursements for the report. Please amend your report to provide clarifying information regarding this activity.

5. Please provide a Schedule F to support the entry reported on Line 25 of the Detailed Summary Page. Any coordinated expenditure made by a national, state or designated party committee must be itemized on Schedule F regardless of the amount expended. 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3)(viii) and 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(5)(D)

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1164.

Sincerely,

Nicole Miller

Campaign Finance Analyst Reports Analysis Division

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